

LANCASTER FELLWALKERS January 7 2018

Lancaster Fellwalkers enjoyed a beautiful day's walking around Grasmere on Sunday, in perfect winter conditions – cold but still and very clear, with icy conditions underfoot.

The B group started first from Ambleside, led by Hilda Preston to High and Low Sweden Bridges, past Rydal Hall, along White Moss and Grasmere, and into the village, covering 9 miles and 1400 feet of ascent. Tracey Markham took the A- group on a circular walk from Grasmere, along Red Bank, up to High Close, over Dow Bank and Great Castle How to Blea Crag and down past Easedale Tarn, 8 ½ miles and 1700 feet.

The A and A+ groups both started from Steel End, climbing up to Harrop Tarn, over Standing Crag to Ullscalf and Greenup Edge. Paddy Feely then led the A group back via Far Easedale, 10 miles and 1600 feet. The A+ group was taken by David Ward over High Raise, Tarn Crag and down via Easedale, 11 miles and 2700 feet.

The next walk will be on January 21st in the Keswick area. To book a seat on the coach, phone 01524 858243. For photos of the walks, visit the website at www.lancasterfellwalkers.co.uk